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To:

Chief, Cargo Unit

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From:

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Subject: Loss of Shipment, Personal Effects, No. 216

1. Attached Certificate of Damage is enclosed covering subject shipment.

2. Shipment number 216, arrived at this destination on 15 July 1947, completely ruined after either having been dropped overboard while unloading or subjected to heavy tropical rains in transit. Subject shipment was very poorly crated, the crating was flimsy and there was no water-proof or wax paper around the trunk as usually is the case in tropical shipments. Prior to the arrival of subject shipment, other personal effects for office employees at this station, as well as enumerable office supplies, arrived in excellent condition, well crated and with sufficient water-proof paper to insure against heavy rains or other damage from water. Why subject shipment was not so treated is not understood by writer.

3. A request is made by writer to ascertain just what action can be taken in view of this great loss. Certificate of Damage is attached for any action that may be contemplated or possible in this case.

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